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INPORTANT TESTIMONY TAKEN IN BREWERY INJUNCTION CASES

District Attorney Baum Brings Out Evidence Against Two Concerns

INDUSTRIAL HEADS TESTIFY

Coal Men and Others Tell of Activities of Agents and of Trouble Experienced in Getting Their Employes to Work.

In one of the first hearings of its kind and involving a most important question testimony Thursday in the equity suits brought recently by District Attorney Isaac W. Baum as prosecuting attorney for Washington county and ex-officio attorney general of the commonwealth, against a number of brewing companies, wholesale dealers and agents, distributors of large quantities of beer and other intoxicants to different mining settlements and communities over the county temporarily to enjoin and after final hearing perpetually enjoin them from doing business in this county in the manner alleged to be unlawful. Both Judges J. A. McIlvaine and R. W. Irwin were on the bench during the morning. Judge McIlvaine sat alone in the afternoon. Court room No. 1 was crowded with those subpoenaed as witnesses, and others interested in progress of the suits. Within the bar were many counsel, some of whom represent defendants. Assistant District Attorney Taylor is assisting with the district attorney.

The Steuben Brewing Co., of Steubenville, O., and other defendants joined with it, was first called. Counsel for the company was in court but District Attorney Baum in presenting the case, stated that the company would not formally appear. However the district attorney went into the hearing and introduced much testimony to bear out the allegations of the bill filed. Antonio Falconi, one of the defendants, appeared he being an agent at Hills Station. The other defendants, John Richin, John Costello and Adam Bartilitch, agents at Burgettstown, Langeloth, Atlasburg, Eastonville, etc., were called but did not respond.

Startling testimony was introduced which showed that the Steuben Brewing company had, within the past year, shipped to this county thousands of barrels and cases of beer. Much of this went to agents and some was shipped to the so-called Ohio Express & Pittsburg Transfer Co., which is really nothing more than a ditributor of the stuff upon its arrival in this county.

Men connected with mines in this county, holding responsible positions, were called. Their testimoney was all to the effect that the efficiency of their men was greatly reduced by the large quantities of beer that their employes consumed. They put their loss, following a pay day or an over Sunday indulgence at from 20 to 25 per cent.

Among these industrial men heard were J. P. McCune, superintendent of the Atlas Coal company mine at Atlasburg; G. W. Schluderberg, general superintendent of the Pittsburg Coal company mines, Arthur McGune, general superintendent of the Henderson Coal company mines at Hendersonville; C. E. Nicholson, former state trooper now employed by the American Zinc & Chemical company at Langeloth and E. C. Garee, superintendent of the Chartiers' Coal company at Canonsburg.

Following the case against the Steubenville Brewing concern there was taken up together the three suits involving Joseph Calvero, Fred Anthony and Arthur Bellomo, wholesale dealers of Steubenville, through whom much beer was shipped, not only from the Steubenville Brewing company, but from the Pittsburg and independent brewing companies.

Scott Roe, a wholesale liquor dealer of Steubenville and who formerly did business through agents in the Burgettstown section, told of the system used in getting beer to that community. He stated that a list of names was sent him and he did not know whether the persons so named were living or dead, or even existed. He had a big list of names and when a carload was shipped to the agent, the namesput on the packages were from the list of names he had on hand. This was to substantiate the allegations of the district attorney that the liquor from the Ohio dealers was sent into this county without much regard as to whom it was going. It went to the agent and he saw that it was disposed of and that the dealers got the money.

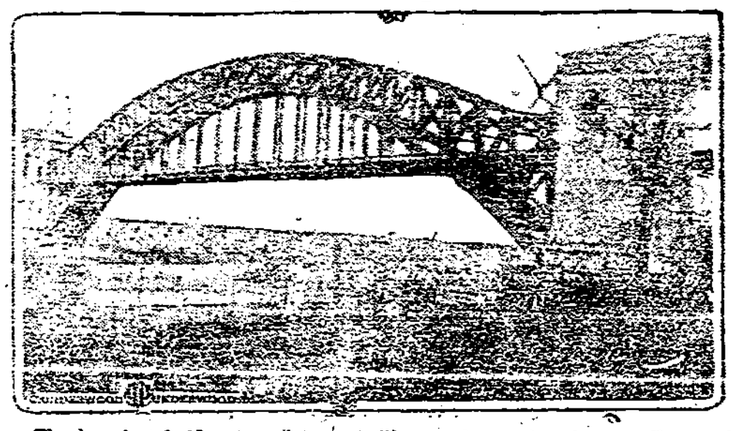
Assistant District Attorney Taylor's compilation showed that there was shipped from Ohio to the Burgettstown section from December 1 to January 20, this year, 31,980 packages including cases and kegs of beer.

The Victor Brewing company of Jeannette, is fighting the motion for a preliminary injunction. It is alleged to have operated illegally through agents at Burgettstown section and in the Millsboro and Fredericktown sections, East Bethlehem township. It has only been within the past few weeks that the company began shipping its product to Burgettstown. The large part sent to that section went to A. Zupanick, who is named as a defendant. In East Bethlehem township, Frank Bertenzetti, Gildo Bertenzetti and B. Bertenzetti distributed the product of the Victor company.

The freight agent at Rices Landing, the freight point for Millsboro and Fredericktown, testified as to the many shipments from the Victor Brewing company to Millsboro. He said that the cars were usually emptied by the Bertenzettis. W. A. Reed told of shipments to Burgettstown, where A. Zupanick got the stuff T. P. Joyce, general manager of the Victor Brewing company, was called for cross-examination, and he was questioned closely as to the manner in which orders were received and shipments made. He testified that the ordrs were sent in by individuals. He admitted he did not know anything about the persons to whom the stuff was shipped.

Upon the completion of the Victor Brewing company case there remain the two against the Independent Brewing company and the Pittsburg Brewing company. It may be that the hearing will be concluded today. This hearing is ohly to determine whether or not preliminary injunctions will be granted. This will probably be done. Then will come a final hearing for a perpetual injunction. It is understool some of the defendants will file answers. They have 30 days from the time of the filing of the bills to do so.

World's Heaviest Bridge Now Spans Hell Gate's Tides



The heaviest bridge in existence will soon be ready for traffic and then travellers may pass through New York going north and south without the inconvenience and delays that have hiterto been unavoidable, saving time and money. The bridge is part of a ten mile project known as the New York Connecting Railway, and of this the East River division alone represents an outlay of $30,000,000.

DENOUNCES SYSTEM WHICH PERMITS STREET PROFANITY

Scathing denunciation of the system which permits the extreme vulgarity and profanity on the streets, particularly among boys of a tender age, was made by Rev. C A. Hartung in his sermon at the Methodis Episcopal church Thursday evening on the theme of "Taking Heed." He suggested heavy fines as prevention.

Next Sunday morning at the Methodist church there will be baptism and new members will be received into the church. This is the concluding week of the evangelistic services which have been in progress a month.

DISTRICT MEETING OF CONFRATERNITY HERE

Bishop Canevin and Others to be Here To Not Progress of Work in Charleroi District—Much Interest in Meeting.

A district meeting of the Diocesan Missionary Confraternity of Christian Doctrine, Charleroi center, will be held next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock sharp in St. Jerome's Lyceum Charleroi. Rt. Rev. Regis Canevin, bishop of the Catholic diocese of Pittsburg, accompanied by Rev. T. F. O'Shea, director of the Confraternity will be present to hear the reports of the work and to address the meeting.

Immediately after the meeting the solemn reception of members into the confraternity will take place in the church. This will be followed by benediction. Both the meeting and reception will be over on time to enable those coming from a distance to take trains and street cars.

A person may become a member of the confraternity by rendering it some real service; by teaching, reading, superintending or keeping order or by visiting; gathering scholars into classes at their homes from the streets or by otherwise promoting the work of the confraternity. This includes those who are enrolled as contributing members to help defray the expenses of the work, mothers of families and others who teach Christian doctrine to members of their own household. Sunday school teachers and those who go a distance to teach in villages and country places.

The confraternity established a center in Charleroi, last September with 31 teachers. Sixty teachers are now enrolled and classes have been started at a large number of places.

The officers of the Charleroi center are: President, John J. Lentz; vice president, J. B. Smith; secretary, Miss Anna M. Sullivan; treasurer, Miss Nora C. Riley.

As this is a lay organization a large attendance is anticipated.

"GOD'S WONDERFUL SO" THEME OF REV. E. A. COLE'S DISCOURSE

Rev. E. A. Cole at the First Christian church Thursday preached on the subject, "God's Wonderful So." He brought out that God so loved the world that he sent his son from heaven to teach us the way of the life and to give his life a ransom for man. The Lord did this, the speaker said, because he loved us so. Miss Beulah Holman of the junior choir sang a solo, the senior choir rendered a selection and Mrs. RolandTodd sang a solo.

Tonight Rev. Cole will speak on "Why I Believe Church Membership is Essential to Baptism."

GREENE COUNTY CARRIES OFF HONORS IN STATE FARM SHOW

Gets Prize for Best Display and in Corn Takes Number of Awards—Wool Ranks High

Greene county came out with flying colors in the state farm product show which was conducted the week at Harrisburg. A telegram from G. H. Bedell, Greene county agriculturist states that Greene county received the cup for the best display. In the yellow dent corn class, Greene county secured first, second, third, fifth and seventh places. The telegram also states that Greene county got a good place in wool.

MISS GEORGE WASHINGTON WITH MISS CLARK AT COYLE

Booking of the justly famous Marguerite Clark in the production of "Miss George Washington," a high-grade Paramount feature, has been announced for next week at the Coyle theatre, Charleroi, by Manager R. S. Coyle. In this drama Miss Clark appears as a girl who could not tell the truth, hence the sarcastic name, Miss George Washington given her by her friends. She starts by trying to explain a peculiar situation satisfactorily and with nimble wit does succeed in keeping clouds cleared away.

YOUNG PINCHO VS TOUGHEY MURRAY, EDDIE WIMLER VS PATSY DUGAN, AT THE RINK SATURDAY

FOUR BUILDINGS PRACTICALLY DESTROYED BY MYSTERIOUS FIRE

Loss of $10,000 Entailed in Monessen Early Morning Blaze

ORIGINATES IN POOL ROOM

Investigations Being Made to Determine Exact Origin of Blaze—Believed by Some That Black Hand May be at Back of Affair.

Originating mysteriously in the rear of the pool room of George and James Nahi, fire at 1 o'clock this morning destroyed two frame buildings owned by Mrs. Marian Sarino and August Riggo and badly damaged two brick structures belonging to the Pittsburg Steel company on Schoonmaker avenue near Twelfth street, Monessen. The estimated aggregate loss to owners and occupants was $10,000.

The content of the pool room were destroyed. The Sarino fruit store lost all and the barber shop of John Azzarella was stripped of all its contents. Other losers in addition to the owners of the buildings were Peter Sparacino, a shoe maker, M. Rogowitz, a clothing merchant and B. Feldman, a general merchandise dealer. Several families lived in the two frame and two brick houses and all lost practically everything.

Investigations will be made into the fire. It is said that Mrs. Sarino has received different Black Hand letters, [illegible] to give up a certain sum of money. Some time ago there was an explosion which wrecked a part of her home and it was freely stated then that the Black Hand was at the back of the affair. Whether the present fire was due in any way to the activities of Mafia is not known. The buildings burned rapidly as though oil had been spread. Firemen had hard work to keep the flames from spreading to other buildings nearby, among them being the Sheetz hotel.

TRI COUNTY UNDERTAKERS NAME OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR

C. S. Patterson of Bentleyville Elected President—Next Meeting to be Held in Waynesburg.

Tri County funeral directors held their regular meeting at Donora Thursday, when the election of officers for the ensuing year was a feature. Those named to offices were: President, C. S. Patterson, Bentleyville; vice president, Carl J. Yohe, Monongahela; secretary-treasurer, W. W. Weighman, Avella; executive committee, D. C. Parkinson of Waynesburg, J. T. Ross of Brownsville and M. T. Crowley of Charleroi.

The meeting was held in the council rooms and dinner was served at the Indiana hotel. The next meeting will be held in Waynesburg May 17. M. T. Crowley and L. B. Frye were undertakers present from Charleroi to attend the meeting.

PROPOSED BOND ISSUE EXPLAINED

Road Supervisors Association of the County Meets in Court House

COST OF DIRT ROADS TOLD

Road improvement problems were taken up by the Road Supervisors' association of the county held in the public meeting room of the court house Thursday. The proposed bond issue for the improvement of at least 50 miles of improved roads was explained by Ben Mevay, Jr., of Washington. He presented the argument that people could travel on the roads while they were paying for them if they were built now.

Among the speakers were W. W. Beale of Brooke county, West Virginia, R. W. Knox, Esq., of Washington and Dr. W. D. Martin of Morris township. Dr. Martin spoke of the best methods and the cost of keeping dirt roads in condition. H. A. Thompson, district highway engineer for the state spoke of the revived interest in the good roads movement. A. B. Hitchcock, a representative of the Workmen's Compensation commission referred to the compensation of employes. Officers of the association were named.

FANCY WORK CLUB MEETS AT HOME OF MRS. SUTCH

The Kensington afternoon club of the Lutheran church was entertained at the home of Mrs. John Sutch on Fallowfield avenue Thursday afternoon, with Mrs. Sutch and Mrs. Walter Lewis as hostesses. Fancy work was the chief diversions of the afternoon and a sumptuous lunch was served by the hostesses.

Majestic 35 cent full sized washboards for 19 cents Friday and Saturday at Mabieu's, Fallowfield and Fifth street stores 187-t3

HIGH SCHOOL LADS READY FOR BIG GAME TOMORROW

Head Coach Grimm and Assistant Coach Wagner have the high school basketball team hard at work practicing for one of the biggest games on their schedule this season, that tomorrow night, with the East Liberty Academy five on the Charleroi floor. Without saying it goes that the game will be one of the most entertaining sort. The East Liberty lads have the reputation of being among the best in the Pittsburg district among the prep schools. The same lineup that appeared last week against McDonald probably will be used with Fiedler and Hill at forward, Stahlman at center and Eagye and Manon guards. Pollock may assume the center position, however, with Stahlman going to his guard job.

ROSCHELLA CLUB MEETS WITH MISS CAVANAUGH

The Roschella club held its first meeting at the home of Miss Helen Cavanaugh Wednesday evening. A very pleasing program was rendered. Lunch was served by the hostess.

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PROPER CONTROL.

Championship disputes after the season has passed will hardly be in order in high school basketball affairs this year, and the game will not be disfigured by irreconcilable quarrels between teams Such will be impossible because of the control the Washington County Interscholastic Association will exercise.

The formation of the interscholastic association among county high schools, places athletics on a systematic basis. Strict rules will govern games and percentages at the end of the season will determine the flag winner. In the past the county championship has been sort of a hit and miss affair. Different teams have claimed it in different years without lasting satisfaction being obtained anywhere. This will be done away with.

Some years ago Charleroi and Monongahela broke relations because of a controversy over basketball that waged extremely bitter. This year the county interscholastic association has brought these two old time rivals together, and it will be for the betterment of athletics generally. But what is still better is the fact that there cannot, with county regulation, be another break like it. One big object of the association will be to prevent disputes and to equitably adjudicate debatable points.

WHAT OTHERS THINK

THE MOTHERS' PENSION FUND

Preparatory to the presentation of proposed amendments to the mothers' assistance act before the Pennsylvania legislature, the state supervisor has called attention to the purpose of the administration of the fund.

Again it is pointed out that a "Widows' Pension" is a misnomer—that the intent of the act it to provide for the support of minor children under the age of 16 years, and the mother is granted an allowance to rear her offspring in her own home. Widows and the wives of the insane are eligible, providing they have been residents of the county three years

The state appropriation is divided pro rata among the various counties according to population. To the sum apportioned to each county, the county commissioners must appropriate a smaller sum. When this action is taken by the county a board of seven trustees is appointed by the governor. The trustees are women and they serve without compensation. They direct the investigations and recommend the granting of assistance, the vouchers being countersigned by the county treasurer and state treasurer, who mail the check direct to the recipient. The administration of the fund is under the general direction of a state supervisor who has her headquarters in the state board of education at Harrisburg. The maximum sum granted for one child is $12 per month; two children $20 per month; three children $26 per month and $5 for each additional child. The amount of money alloted each family is left to the discretion of the trustees.

It is also pointed out that there is a waiting list of 5,000 women in the state of Pennsylvania, eligible under the law to receive aid, but because of the lack of funds in the counties operating, no assistance could be given. Even though the additional 25 per cent allotted to the working counties has been added to their original appropriation, this has not been found sufficient to provide for the eligible cases.

The members of the legislatures of 1913 and 1915 practically were unanimous in support of mothers' assistance and it is expected that the present body will favor the granting of a larger appropriation.—The Washington Observer.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

During the impaneling of a jury in Philadelphia the following colloquy ensued between the judge and a talesman:

"You are a property holder?"

"Yes, sir."

"Married or single?"

"Married three years last March."

"Have you formed or expressed any opinion?"

"Not for three years, your honor."

GINGLES' JINGLES

DOLLARS AND SENSE.

How about it, old man just what kind of a fate has the world and its ways made of thee? Are you rich, let me ask, or is life still a task, or are you from your labors set free? Having beat it right in, gathered cart loads of tin, and are now on the soft sunny side, where you don't have to work, where all things you can shark, as the world passes by with a glide. Having done but one thing with a vim, and a cling, that has made you a big money power, and you loan and exact as a matter of fact, with the cash you're the man of the hour, still the worth while you've missed, while the dollars you've kissed, that have fallen your way in a shower. But adorning your coin will not help when you join the majority over across, there you'll show that you're weak, when you're fed by the neck it is then you'll get wise to your loss; they will say, "beat it hence, shy on dollars and sense, you are not on the list you must go, all the money on earth not a jit here is worth, gates are closed, hop the scoot for below."

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News Oddities

GOOD money getter is Putnam County man's right arm, but not in usual way. For having it hurt three times, he has received, respectively, $1,250, $500 and $3,750.

CONNECTICUT man is dying from lockjaw caused by scratch of his collar button.

BOBCAT killing becoming big industry in Montana because of the demand for furs in Eastern States.

MUCH of the prodigious salaries paid movie actors is in stage money, legislative committee suspects from tax investigation.

WHEN papers in Missouri man's divorce were served, he learned he was suing another man's wife, as she had already divorced him and married again in another city.

AFTER the stork had left twins, Joseph Marcinki of Terre Haute thought it would visit him no more, but it has just left triplets, increasing his brood to ten

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Dedicatory Services Held.

The Household of Ruth of Monessen No. 5382, instituted Nov. 21, by Household of Ruth No. 1413 G. U. O. of O. F. of Charleroi held their dedicatorial services January 23 with Miss Mabel J. Webster P. M. N. G of 1413 as dedicating officer, assisted by Mrs. A. Primas and G. Webster of 1413 and Mrs. Margaret Ferguson of 479, Monongahela. Over two hundred Odd Fellows, wives and friends of the valley witnessed the ceremony The ex-Grandmaster, J. P. Hayden of Pittsburg was present.

Jones asked his wife: "Why is a husband like dough?"

He expected she would give it up and and he was going to tell her it was "because a woman needs him." but she said it was because he was "hard to get off her hands."

Jones was silent for the rest of the evening.

NERVOUSNESS AND BLUES

Symptoms of More Serious Sickness.

Washington Park, Ill.—"I am a mother of four children and have suffered with female trouble, backache, nervous spells and the blues. My children's loud talking and romping would make me so nervous I could just tear everything to pieces and I would ache all over and feel so sick that I would not want anyone to talk to me at times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills restored me to health and I want to thank you for the good they have done me. I have had quite a bit of trouble and worry but it does not affect my youthful looks. My friends say 'Why do you look so young and well?' I owe it all to the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies." —Mrs. ROBT. STOPIEL, Sage Avenue, Washington Park, Illinois.

If you have any symptom about which you would like to know write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn Mass., for helpful advice given free of charge.

MARKED CARDS CAUSE OF RIOT

Foreigners at Shire Oaks Object When They Discover Cause of Losses

Fifteen foreigners of 57 varieties were placed in the Monongahela lockup Thursday after a battle royal in a boarding house at Shire Oaks, the Pennsylvania railroad junction there, at an early hour Thursday morning in which black eyes and ruffled dignities were the greatest injuries suffered. They will be given hearings before Aldeman Elwood on charges of rioting.

Two railroad detectives, a state trooper and a Monongahela constable commandeered a yard engine when the news of the riot came by telephone from Pitsburg police who had been appealed to for aid went to Shire Oaks from Monongahela and soon had the trouble quelled.

The fight is said to have started when three strange foreigners, who had proposed a game of cards and had taken all the money in sight, were discovered to be using a marked deck.

CONSTRUCTION OF LOCK NO. 7 BEING FACED BY GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS

According to authentic statements given out by the Independent Coal company, who are now busy locating a coal road and large tipples at Greensboro just above Lock No. 7, this company will build 125 double houses for their miners and four modern dwellings for officials. This works with several others in full operation will eventually necessitate the rebuilding of Lock No. 7 a fact that is now being considered by the U. S. government officials.

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AMONG THE THEATRES

MAJESTIC—CHARLEROI

An interesting program of pictures was presented at the Majestic theatre this week. On Monday the attraction was "The House Built on the Sand" with Lillian Gish appearing in the leading role. William Hart one of the most popular of screen stars enacted the title role of "Truthful Tulliver" which was the headline picture Tuesday. On Wednesday Robert Warwick shared honors with Molline King in "All Man" a highly dramatic production. J. Warren Kerrigan and Louise Lovely were at their best in Thursday's picture, "The Measure of a Man." For Friday Dorothy Dalton and Louise Glaum will appear in "The Weaker Sex." One of the best programs of the week will be presented Saturday when Willian Walker will be shown in "Indiscretion." Announcements for the coming week include "The Bride of Hate," featuring Frank Keenan for Monday.

COYLE—CHARLEROI

One of the highest class attractions in weeks at the Coyle theatre was that this week of Ethel Barrymore approaching in the powerful Metro play in five acts, "The Awakening of Helena Richie." The story dealt with the double living of the star, merely to satisfy the whim of her false-hearted suitor. The play was presented on Wednesday. The day prior, Irene Fenwick appeared in "A Coney Island Princess." This is an adaptation of the successful play. "The Princess Zim-Zim" by Edward Shelton. The play marked the beginning of Miss Fenwick's service with the Paramount program. Thursday's show at the Coyle presented Lenore Ulrich in "The Road to Love." a story of Algeria by Blanche Dougan Cole. An important announcement is being made by Manager Coyle It pertains to the coming on a date to be announced later of Miss Marguerite Clark in "Miss George Washington," the girl who could not tell the truth.

PALACE—CHARLEROI

One of the best weeks of the season was the one just ending for the Palace theatre. An exceptionally good and well balanced program was presented the first part of the week. All three acts being direct from the Harris theatre where they played last week. The headline attraction was the Gertrude McGill company in an up-to-date comedy entitled "O' You Steve." Lillian Wright a character singer and dancer of ability appeared in the second number and De Renzo and La Due entertained with acrobatic work, which was both thrilling and pleasing. The last part of the week was featured by Rodigues Duo of Spanish entertainers, Millard and Millard negro comedians and dancers and the Keystone trio of singers, dancers and comedians. All the acts were well received by large and appreciative audiences. Special motion pictures were shown each day.

NEW DAVIS—PITTSBURG.

There is distinction and refinement in the group of nine attractions which Harry Davis promises for the week beginning Monday afternoon, January 29th, with daily matinees, at the New Davis Theatre. James B. Carson and Company are to play an international comedy in three scenes entitled "The Models Abroad." Twenty people are in the cast and the production in a scenic and costuming way rivals any pretentious premier of a big Broadway musical comedy. A bevy of pretty show girls are given opportunity to impersonate such distinguished players as Julia Sanderson, Billie Burke, Gaby Deslys, Fritzi Scheff, Kitty Gordon, Theda Bara, Mrs. Vernon Castle, Lillian Lorraine and Florence Walton. It is a curious coincident that Mr. Julius Tannen, who was the original Mawruss Perlmutter in "Potash and Perlmutter," is also in next week's bill. Travilla Brothers, the Catalina Island deep sea divers and pearl fishers, who are the world's champion under water swimmers, will perform in a huge crystal tank introducing their trained seal, "Winx," which is said to have a human brain. Mlle. Phina, assisted by a trio of clever boys and girls in the guise of pickaninnies, will render a group of merry songs with incidental dancing. Fred Fenton and Harry Green are to entertain with "Magic Pills,' a prescription which is prescribed for the blues and in which bits of musical comedy in singing, dancing and patter are cleverly presented. The Seven Bracks, Risley athletes, who are righ on the trigger in a series of physical feats out of the beaten path, will distinguish themselves for rapidity of action, agility and strength. The Imperial Troupe of European novelty syclists will play a fast game of basketball awheel.

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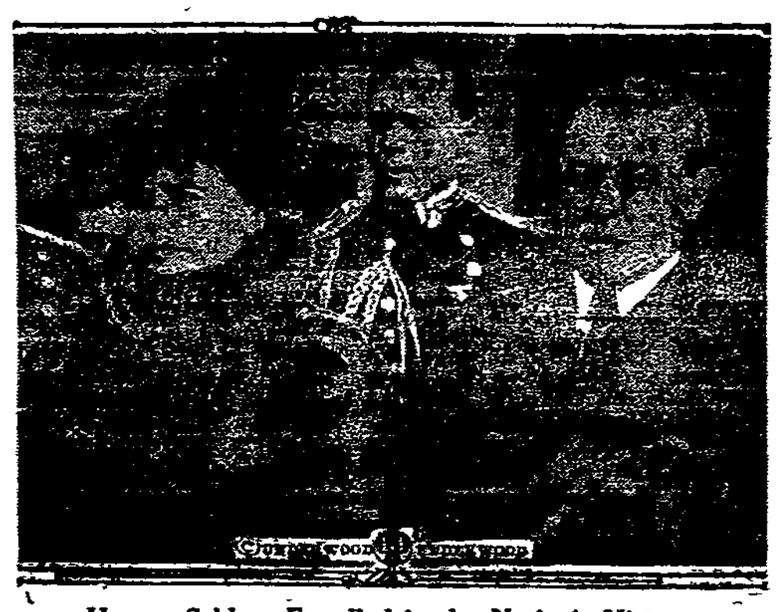
The President at the Admiral's Funeral



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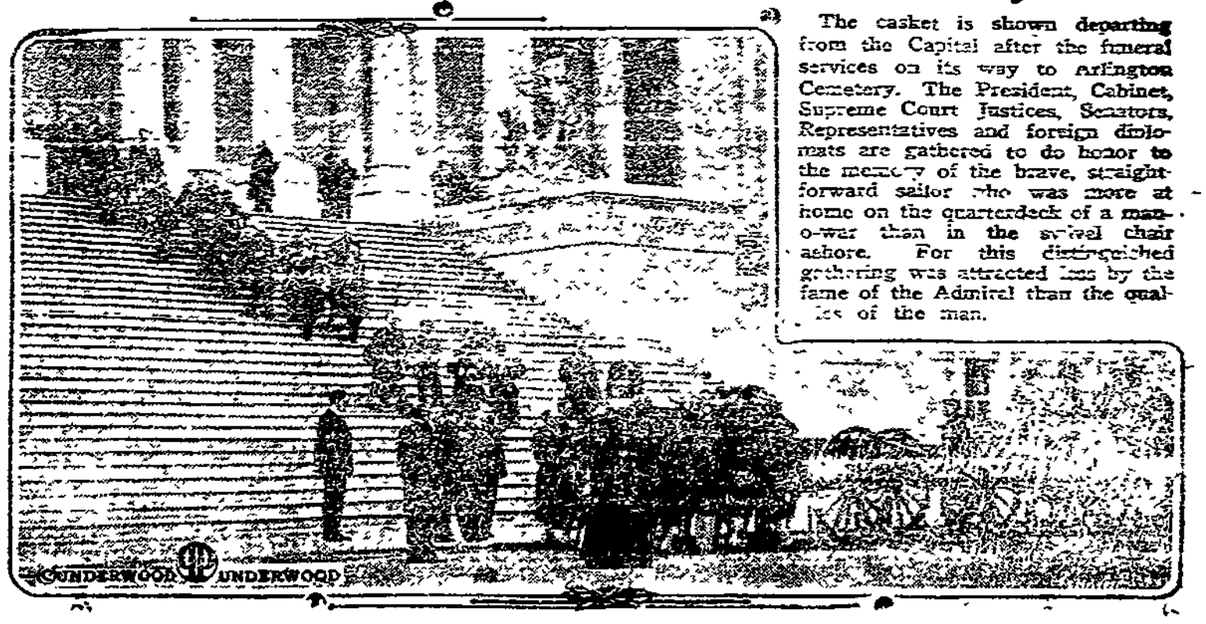
Nation's Last Tribute to Admiral Dewey



The casket is shown departing from the Capitol after the funeral services on its way to Arlington Cemetery. The President, Cabinet, Supreme Court Justices, Senators, Representatives and foreign diplomats are gathered to do honor to the memory of the brave, straightforward sailor who was more at home on the quarterdeck of a man-o-war than in the swivel chair ashore. For this distinguished gathering was attracted less by the fame of the Admiral than the qualities of the man.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County and to me directed, on which inquisition and exeption are waived, there will be exposed at Public Sale at the Sheriff's Sales Room, in the Court House, Washington, Washington County, Pa. Saturday the 17th day of February, 1917 at 1:30 o'clock P. M. of said day, the following described Real Estate, viz:

All the right, title and interest of Earl Nelson in and to the following described tracts of land:

1st. An undivided one-fifth interest to and in all that certain tract of land situate in Fallowfield Township, Washington County, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stone, South 33 ¾ degrees East 11 perches to a stone, thence by land of John B. Carson, South 65 degrees West, 14.7 perches to a stone; thence North 33 ¾ degrees West 11 perches to a stone; thence by land of James Samson, North 65 degrees East 14.7 perches to the place of beginning, containing One (1) acres, strict measure; having erected thereon a two-story frame dwelling and small frame stable.

2nd. All the undivided one-fifth interest to and in all that certain tract of land situate in said Fallowfield Township, Washington County Pennsylvania, adjoining lands of J. G. Carson, Abraham Colvin, Samuel Swabe, Manuel Stoody and others bounded as follows:

Beginning at a stone on line between Abraham and Samuel Swabe; thence by land of Samuel Swabe, the present grantor, South 65 degrees West 4.86 perches to a stone; thence North 24 degrees West 52.32 perches to a stone; thence South 38 degrees West 34.56 perches to a stone; thence South 35 degrees, 40 minutes West 76.6 perches to a stone; thence South 57 degrees, 50 minutes West 36.72 perches to a stone; thence by land of Manuel Stoody and Widow Colvin, South 19 degrees, 38 minutes West 38.2 perches to a stone; thence North 64 ¾ degrees East, 138 perches to a stone; thence North 20 ¼ degrees West 43.44 perches to the place of beginning, containing 52 acres, 70 perches, more or less; having erected thereon a two-story brick dwelling and frame barn.

Excepting and reserving the Pittsburg or River Vein of coal and such mining rights and releases of damages as have heretofore been conveyed.

The two foregoing tracts of land are two tracts of which John Nelson late of said Township, deceased, died seized, and the interest above described is subject to the dower right of Elizabeth Nelson, his widow.

3rd. All of the undivided one-fourth interest to and in that certain tract of land situate in said Fallowfield Township, Washington County, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a stone in the public road corner to land of Manuel Stoody and the late John H. Nelson; thence along said road by land of late John H. Nelson, North 57 degrees 55 minutes East 36.72 perches to a stone; thence by the same North 35 degrees 10 minutes East, 76.6 perches to a post; thence by the same North 37½ degrees East,, 34.56 perches to a post; thence along the latter South 24 degrees East, 52.32 perches; thence by the same North 64 degrees East 4.86 perches to a stone in line of land of A. Colvin; thence by Colvin land, North 20 degrees West 90.2 perches to a post two feet from a Maple Tree; thence by the same land North 25¼ degrees East 8.35 perches to a stone in land of A. Snyder; thence by Snyder land North 45¾ degrees West 12.7 perches to a stone in road corner to land of Samuel C. Swabe; thence along road and Swabe's land South 53 degrees West 37.8 perches to a stone; thence by the same South 15½ degrees West 11.35 perches to a stone; thence by same South 21½ degrees West, 12.8 perches to a stone; thence by same South 42¾ degrees West, 20.4 perches to a stone; thence by the same South 81 degrees 55 minutes West, 18 perches to a stone; thence by the same North 89¾ degrees West, 28.3 perches to a stone; thence by the same, South 81½ degrees West, 25.87 perches to a point in said road in line of land of J. Blyth; thence by Blyth's land, South 19 degrees East, 6.95 perches to a Hickory; thence by same, South 31¾ degrees West, 16.5 perches to a stone; thence by same, South 70 degrees West, 4.05 perches to a point; thence by the same, South 19 degrees, 50 minutes East 88.9 perches to the place of beginning, containing 62 acres and 89 perches.

Excepting and reserving the Pittsburg or river vein of coal, together with such mining rights and releases of damages as have heretofore been conveyed.

This tract of land is one of which Dora Nelson, late of said Township, died seized.

Taken in execution as the property of Earl Nelson at the suit of Elizabeth Nelson, Administratrix of John H. Nelson, deceased.

Sheriff's Office, Washington, Pa.
January 25th, 1917.

Frank B. Wickerham,
Sheriff.
J-26-F-2-9

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an alias writ of Fieri Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Washington County and to me directed, on which inquisition and exemption are waived, there will be exposed at Public Sale at the Sheriff's Sales Room, in the Court House, Washington, of Washington County, Pa., Saturday the 17th day of February, 1917 at 1:30 o'clock p. m. of said day the following described Real Estate, viz:

All the right, title and interest of John Smith, Mary E. Smith, in and to all that certain tract of land situate in Bentleyville Borough, Washington County, Pennsylvania, being Lot No. 36 of the J. E. Richardson Plan, fronting Fifty (50) feet on the Bentleyville and Scenery Hill Public Road, and running back One Hundred Twenty (120) feet, more or less:

Also Twenty-six (26) feet of Lot No. 35 of said plan adjoining said Lot No. 36, fronting Twenty-six (26) feet on said Public road and running back One Hundred Twenty (120) feet, more or less.

The Pittsburg or river vein of coal and such mining rights as have heretofore been conveyed are excepted and reserved.

Taken in execution as the property of John Smith, Mary E. Smith at the suit of Bentleyville National Bank.

Sheriff's Office, Washington, Pa.
January 25th, 1917.

Frank B. Wickerham,
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TIRED WORKING MEN

A Local Druggist Suggests a Remedy For Overworked, Run-down Men.

The following letter from Manager Hodes recounts the experience and condition of many Charleroi men. Read this letter and our offer which follows:

Brooklyn, N. Y. "I am a general office manager and became so nervous and run-down in health that I lost my appetite and finally my health broke down completely, largely because of overwork. I tried Beef Iron and Wine and other remedies without help. I saw Vinol advertised and soon after taking it I noticed an improvement. I now have a hearty appetite, sleep better and have gained considerable in weight." Samuel Hodes, 501 Stone Avenue.

The reason Vinol is so successful in such cases is because it contains the oldest and most famous tonics, viz., beef and cod liver peptones, iron, manganese peptonates, and glycerophosphates.

We ask every run-down, over worked man in Charleroi to try a bottle of Vinol with the understanding that their money will be returned if it fails to help them as it did Mr. Hodes.

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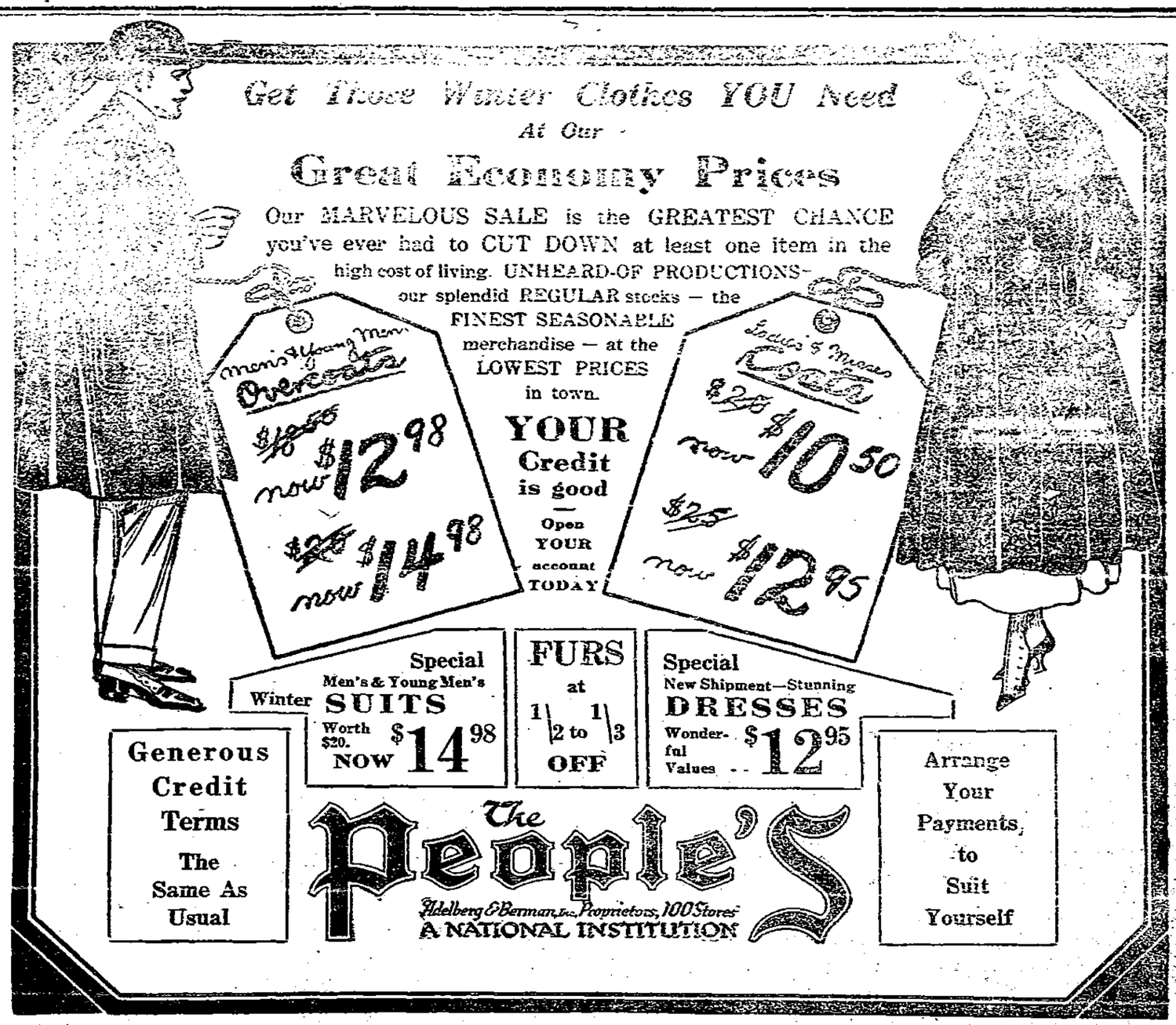
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Fresh Baked Nic-Nacs, per lb	10c
Fresh Ginger Snaps, per lb	9c
15c Fresh Baked Cart Wheels, per lb	10c
5c cake Babydoll Soap	7 for 25c
Fresh Creamery Butter, per lb	40c
25c bottle Salad Oil	22c
Armours Skinned Hams lb	19c
5c cake Scour-all	3 for 10c
25c bottle Catsup	15c
Holland Herring, doz	35c
5c box matches	3 for 10c
Best Pure Lard, lb	18c
Best Hand Picked Navy Beans, lb	13c
Best California Lima Beans, lb	10c
Best Roman Beans, lb	10c
Black-eye Beans,	3 lb for 25c
Sunbright Cleanser	3 for 10c
Satisfaction Coffee, lb	24c
Silver Cow Milk, per can	10c

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Wise folks will need no coaxing to get here quickly. They will understand that to purchase high grade goods at these prices is better than money in the bank, while there is plenty of time for for you to get the price in wear before the season ends. The advancing market will make these goods more valuable to you even if you lay them away for the next season. You'll save both ways by buying now.

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WANTED—Two women one for Laundry and one for inside cleaning. Apply Charleroi-Monessen Hospital. 187-tf

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PINCHO TO TAKE PLACE OF HENDERSON IN BOUT WITH TOUGHEY MURRAY

Because of the illness of Marty Henderson of Donora, who was to have met Toughey Murray of Ambridge in the main bout at the rink Saturday night, there will be a few changes in the program. In the main bout Young Pincho, the crack Charleroi bantam, will take the place on Henderson against Murray. This it is expected will be one of the best bouts ever seen at the rink, as both boys are fast boxers and each packs a punch which may end the encounter before the tenth round. In Murray Pincho tackles the hardest proposition of his ring career and his many friends are pulling for him to beat the great Ambridge battler.

The semi final will be changed. Word was received from Eddie Kenny's manager stating that Kenny was sick and could not appear Saturday night. so Manager James Buchanan has secured Patsy Dugan of Youngstown, Ohio to go against Eddie Wimler. This will insure the fans a great bout. Eddie Wimler's record is too well known here to need any comment. Charleroi fans will recall Patsy Dugan's pleasing performance against Marty Henderson here in the early part of the season and he will be welcomed by quite a number of friends he made when last here. Dugan is after the crown worn by Pete Herman of New Orleans and he welcomes this opportunity to eliminate Wimler.

The second bout will be between Young Ketchell of Donora and Kid Sullivan of Monessen and promises to be a battle royal. Both are known as sluggers. The curtain raiser will be between two Charleroi boys.

Oranges Cheaper Than Potatoes.

Fancy California navel or Florida oranges, either size large or small, per half peck 25 cents

Bag a Prize

And men who attend this MID-WINTER Clearance Sale will certainly grab off some mighty good plums in Suits and Overcoats. The values are real—the savings true in every sense of the word---prices lower than we should make in view of present market conditions.

Men's $15.00 and $16.50 Suits and Overcoats at **$12.50**

Men's $18.00 and $20 Suits and Overcoats at **$14.50**

Men's $22.50 and $25 Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits and Overcoats. Reduced to . . . **$18.50**

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Showers and Horace Showers of Fifth street went to Pittsburg to witness the production of "Katinka" at the Alvin theatre Friday evening.

Chief of Police C. W. Albright was a business caller in Washington Friday.

Frank Barnett was a business caller in Pittsburg Thursday.

A. G Lewis was in Uniontown Friday attending a meeting of salesmen addressed by a representative of the American Piano company relative to a selling and advertising campaign about to be inaugurated.

Rev. and Mrs. W. G. Carl and A. G. Lewis were in Pittsburg Thursday attending the mid-winter conference of the Pittsburg Baptist Association.

Saturday Specials

Every Person in the family rejoices when

Father Gets An Increase in His Pay

The thought uppermost in the mind is that the family will be able to live just a little bit better. Why should you wait on that increase to better your table service when you can save more than double the average pay increase by taking advantage of our Special Prices.

FOR CASH ONLY

Heinz Saure Kraut per lb.....10c	Sniders Tomatoe Soup, per can...10c	3 large Bars Economy Soap.....25c
Red Kidney Beans, per can 11c	Corn Starch, per pkg 5c	6 pkgs. Golden Rod Soap Powder 25c
Canned Corn, Maine style per can 9c	Rice, per pkg. .....10c, 3 for 25c	6 boxes Matches 25c
Seeded Raisins, per box..... ..13c	Starch, per pkg.....5c	6 boxes Powerine Soap Powder ...25c
Silver Cow Milk, per can..... . 10c	Canned Peaches, per can 15c	1 box (large) Golden Rod Soap Powder 19c
Every Day Milk, per can 10c	Canned Pears, per can 15c	1 bottle Olives, (35c size) 25c
Fish Flakes, per can 9c	Canned Pineapple, per can 15c	1 jar Olives 30c size).....25c
Velva Syrup, per can 9c	Noodles, per pkg.....9c	Van Camps B. Beans, per can....15c
Canned Peas, per can 9c	Daisy Blend Coffee (none better) per lb. 21c	Lard, per can 20c
Heinz Baked Beans, per can... .11c	Satisfaction Coffee, per lb.....28c	1-8 Sk. N. S. Flour, $1.30 with $5 order
Heinz Spaghetti, per can 10c	Blue Ribbon Coffee, per lb.....30c	1 match box free with every $3 order
Peeks Tea, per can .....9c and 23c	Mixed Tea, per lb 45c	Prunes, 2 lb for 25c
Tecco Pancake Flour, per can ...10c	Krumbles, per box 9c	Crafts Swiss Milk Cocoa,, 1-2 lb 20c
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